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**RULE 116 AMENDMENT
RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Allen Dean Mammel
Serial No.: 09/398,987
Filing Date: September 17, 1999
Group Art Unit: 3643
Examiner: Rowan, K.
Title: **NO-TIE FISHING SYSTEM AND METHOD**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2001 (Paper No. 15), Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the rejections of the Claims in view of the following amendments and comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows: